

# The Journal

of the Thirty-fifth Annual Convocation of the  
Church in the Missionary District  
of Spokane



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The Inspectors of Elections made report on the ballot for Delegates to the Synod to be held in Seattle in May. The Chair declared the following elected as Delegates:

The Rev. A. L. Bramhall  
The Rev. F. W. Pratt  
The Rev. E. L. Rolls  
Mr. W. L. Stirling  
Mr. Stoddard King  
Mr. B. G. Ewing

as Alternates:

The Rev. T. A. Daughters  
The Rev. J. A. Palmer  
The Ven. A. Coffin  
Mr. W. S. Gilbert  
Mr. T. E. Jessett  
Mr. H. S. Collins

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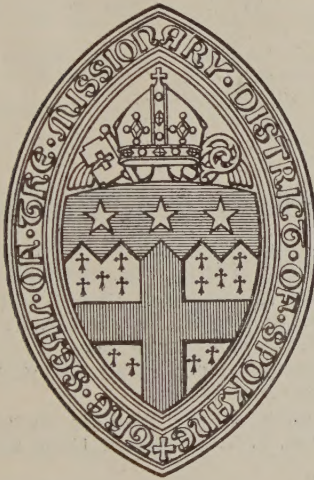
### Spokane, Saint James'

Vicar, Rev. Turpin A. Daughters. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. John King. Clerk, Mr. H. C. Wegner, Mr. P. R. Dunbar, Mr. M. R. Morton, Hon. R. M. Webster, Mr. W. S. Gilbert, Mr. A. L. Bright, Mr. Earl Hunt, Mr. Don Campbell, Mr. C. D. Crowther. Official Acts: B., 25; C., 56; M., 6; Bur., 8. Cong.: C. P. 213; G. 96; C. M., 547. Organization: Ch. Sch. t. & o., 22; P., 180; Soc., 7; Mem., 218.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$2,758.70. Disbursements, \$2,757.93. Bal. \$.77. Property: Value, \$27,050.00. Insurance, \$7,500.00. Debt, \$400.00.

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## Where to Send Funds

Send all stipend money to Mr. W. H. Farnham, Treasurer, 930 Old National Bank Bldg., Spokane, Wash.

Send offerings for Missions and Church Extension (The Church's Program) to Mr. W. D. Vincent, Treasurer, Old National Bank Bldg., Spokane, Wash.

Send Church Pension Money to Mr. W. D. Vincent, Old National Bank, Spokane, Wash.

Send offerings made at the Bishop's Visitation to the Rt. Rev. E. M. Cross, S. T. D., W1108 First Ave., Spokane, Wash.

# The Church News

IN THE

## Missionary District of Spokane

RT. REV. EDWARD M. CROSS, S. T. D., BISHOP

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### OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

**Bishop**—The Rt. Rev. Edward M. Cross, S. T. D., 2303 First Ave., Spokane. Office, 1108 First Ave., Spokane.

**Treasurer of Convocation and for the Bishop**—Mr. William H. Farnham, 930 Old National Bank Building, Spokane.

**Treasurer of the Field Department and Church Pension Fund**—Mr. William D. Vincent, Old National Bank, Spokane.

**Chancellor**—Mr. Philip S. Brooke, Paulsen Building, Spokane.

**Secretary**—The Rev. Fredric W. Pratt, West 1108 First Ave., Spokane.

**Assistant Secretary**—Rev. Elmer B. Christie, Okanogan.

**Registrar**—Rev. F. W. Pratt, West 1108 First Ave., Spokane.

**Trustees of the District**—The Bishop, Mr. W. D. Vincent, and Mr. W. S. Gilbert.

**Archdeacon**—The Ven. Alexander Coffin, West 1108 First Ave., Spokane.

**Deans**—Colville, Rev. E. R. Allman; Snake River, Rev. B. A. Warren; Spokane, Rev. J. A. Palmer; Wenatchee, Rev. A. L. Bramhall; Yakima, Rev. E. L. Rolls.

### CLERGY OF THE DISTRICT

Rt. Rev. Edward M. Cross, S. T. D., Bishop, Spokane.

Rev. E. R. Allman, Colville, Kettle Falls, Marcus, Orient, Northport, Republic.

Rev. E. W. Burleson, Palouse.

Rev. A. L. Bramhall, Wenatchee, Waterville.

Ven. A. Coffin, Spokane; Cheney, Davenport, Ritzville.

Rev. T. A. Daughters, Spokane, St. James', St. Peter's.

Rev. E. B. Christie, Okanogan, Omak, Brewster, Chopaka, Horse Springs, Coulee.

Loomis, Oroville, Winthrop.

Rev. H. J. Gurr, (retired) Spokane.

Rev. L. C. B. Hill, Spokane.

Rev. F. J. Mynard, Prosser, Mabton, Granger, Sunnyside.

Rev. J. A. Palmer, Spokane, Holy Trinity Epiphany.

Rev. John B. Pennell, Kennewick, Pasco.

Rev. F. W. Pratt, Spokane, St. Matthew's, St. David's.

Rev. E. W. Pigion, Yakima

Rev. E. L. Rolls, Ellensburg.

Rev. E. C. Schmeiser, Cashmere, Chelan, Leavenworth, Maryvale, Brewster.

Rev. W. A. Sharp, Roslyn, Cle Elum.

Rev. M. J. Stevens, Spokane, St. John's, St. Thomas'.

Rev. B. A. Warren, Walla Walla.

### LAY-READERS

Mr. Arthur Bragdon, Prosser.

Mr. M. J. Chapman, Pullman.

Mr. Reginald Coffin, All Saints', Spokane.

Mr. Howard Daughters, Saint James', Spokane.

Dr. B. C. Dunn, Mabton.

Mr. Ralph Edgerton, All Saints' Cathedral, Spokane.

Mr. Donald Glazebrook, Holy Trinity, Spokane.

Mr. Corston Greene, Holy Trinity, Spokane.

Mr. J. P. L. Greene, Holy Trinity, Spokane.

Mr. Ruel Howe, Dayton.

Mr. Earl Hunt, Saint James' Spokane.

Mr. Thomas Jessett, Colfax, P. O. Box 46, Pullman.

Mr. Edgar Johnson, Walla Walla.

Mr. Ralph Kaufman, Ellensburg.

Mr. Fred L. Kershaw, Saint Davids', Spokane.

Mr. John King, Saint James', Spokane.

Mr. Stoddard King, Holy Trinity, Spokane.

Mr. Oliver Leiser, Colville.

Mr. J. A. S. Rodda, Holy Trinity, Spokane.

Mr. George B. Stocking, Republic.

Mr. Matthew Stevens, Pomeroy.

Mr. L. H. Thornberg, Cheney.

Mr. George Whitmore, Yakima.

Mr. Harry Post.

### U. T. O. WORKER

Deaconess Christobel Corbett, Spokane.

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1925 The Rev. Leslie C. B. Hill.

1926 The Rev. Elmer B. Christie.

1926 The Rev. John B. Pennell.

### Officers of Young People's Federation—

Miss Florence Brethaupt, Pres., Spokane.

Warren Slemmons, Vice-Pres., Ellensburg.

Ralph Edgerton, Secretary, Spokane.

Miss Mildred Thompson, Treas., Colfax.

### Executives—Miss Elizabeth Gilbert, Spokane;

Eric Mc Davis, Spokane; Miss Winifred Ramsey, Colfax.

### JOURNAL

### Thirty-fifth Annual Convocation of the Missionary District of Spokane

### Opening Service

The thirty-fifth annual Convocation of the Missionary District of Spokane began with a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 o'clock in All Saints Cathedral on Sunday, January 23, 1927. The Right Rev. Edward M. Cross, Bishop of Spokane celebrant, the Right Rev. William P. Remington, Bishop of Eastern Oregon, Gospeler,

the Rev. Elmer B. Christie, Epistler. Bishop Remington made an address setting forth the call and challenge of the Bishop's Crusade which he came to conduct in conjunction with Convocation.

Morning Prayer was said at eleven o'clock and Bishop Remington preached to a congregation which filled the Cathedral.

The Young People's Federation held their annual meeting in the afternoon at St. James' Church. There was a large representation of the young people, and a fine meeting.

A short devotional service was held in the evening at 7:30 in All Saints' Cathedral and Crusade messages were delivered by Mr. Walter McPherson, and Bishop Remington.

#### Minutes of the Thirty-Fifth Annual Convocation of the Missionary District of Spokane.

Prayer was said and Convocation called to order for the first business session, by the Right Reverend Edward M. Cross, S. T. D., at ten o'clock a. m., on Monday, January 24th, 1927.

The Rev. Fredric W. Pratt was elected temporary secretary.

The temporary secretary called the roll of the clergy according to the order of their canonical residence.

The temporary secretary called the roll of the parishes and missions in union with Convocation.

Lay-credentials and the result of the roll calls were referred to the Committee on Credentials, which the Chair thereupon named, the same being the Rev. Matthew J. Stevens, the Rev. Elmer B. Christie, Mr. H. Sidney Collins, Mr. J. A. S. Rodda.

The Chair then appointed the following Committees:

On the Dispatch of Business, the Rev. Bertram A. Warren, the Rev. Edward W. Burleson, Mr. John King and Mr. W. J. Dilworth.

As the Council of Advice; The Rev. Ernest R. Allman, the Rev. Turpin A. Daughters, the Rev. Ethelward W. Pigion, Mr. John King, Mr. Fredric Phair, Mr. E. H. Knight.

On Constitution and Canons; The Rev. Floyd J. Mynard, the Rev. James A. Palmer, Mr. W. L. Stirling, Mrs. John Marshall.

As Examining Chaplains; the Rev. James A. Palmer, the Rev. Fredric W. Pratt., the

Rev. Andrew L. Bramhall, the Rev. Earl C. Schmeiser.

On the Bishop's Address and the State of the Church; the Rev. A. L. Bramhall, the Ven. Alexander Coffin, the Rev. T. A. Daughters, Mr. Fredric Phair, Mr. George B. Stocking, Dr. Morris Auger.

On Resolutions and Privilege; the Rev. E. W. Burleson, the Rev. H. J. Gurr, and Mrs. Charles Ostrander.

On Ecclesiastical Court, the Rev. F. J. Mynard, the Rev. J. A. Palmer, the Rev. E. W. Burleson, the Rev. E. R. Allman, the Rev. A. L. Bramhall and the Rev. W. A. Sharp.

The Rev. Fredric W. Pratt, temporary secretary, was elected permanent secretary.

The Chair nominated the Board of Trustees, Mr. W. S. Gilbert and Mr. W. D. Vincent. Motion was made to approve these nominations, Carried.

The Chair appointed as Inspectors of Elections, the Rev. E. L. Rolls, the Rev. L. C. B. Hill, Mr. M. J. Chapman, Mr. Dunbar Triplitt, and Mr. J. H. Thompson.

The secretary called the roll of the Lay-delegates to Convocation. The Chair declared a Constitutional number present.

Motion was made to approve the transactions of this body before due organization, Carried.

The Committee on Resolutions and Privilege moved that the privilege of the floor be granted

the Rt. Rev. William P. Remington, D. D., and

Mr. Walter MacPherson;

That seats and a voice be granted:- Mr. Thomas Jessett and Mr. Ruel Howe, Lay-readers in charge of Missions.

Motion was made to send a telegram to the Rev. W. A. Sharp expressing regret at his inability to be present on account of the illness of Mrs. Sharp. Carried.

Motion was made to instruct the secretary to forward to Deaconess Corbett a letter of good wishes and hope for her early recovery from her injury. Carried.

Upon nomination by the Chair the following District officers were elected. Chancellor, Mr. Philip S. Brooke; Treasurer, Mr. William H. Farnham; Registrar, Rev. Fredric W. Pratt.

The Chairman of the Committee on the Dispatch of Business moved that the reports

of the Treasurers of the District be made the order of the day at the opening of the afternoon session. Carried.

The Chairman of the Committee on the Dispatch of Business moved that Convocation proceed to the election of delegates to the Provincial Synod.

The following were placed in nomination; the Rev. A. L. Bramhall, the Rev. T. A. Daughters, the Rev. F. W. Pratt, the Rev. E. L. Rolls, the Rev. E. C. Schmeiser, the Rev. E. W. Pigion, the Rev. J. A. Palmer, the Ven. Alex. Coffin.

Of the laity the following were placed in nomination; Mr. W. L. Stirling, Mr. Earl Hunt, Mr. Stoddard King, Mr. B. G. Ewing, Mr. J. A. Marshall, Mr. W. S. Gilbert, Mr. M. J. Chapman, Mr. T. E. Jessett, and Mr. H. S. Collins.

Motion was made to close nominations. Carried.

On the first ballot the Rev. A. L. Bramhall received a majority of the votes cast and was declared elected.

The hour of noon having arrived prayer was said for missions.

Ballot was spread to elect the two remaining clerical delegates to the synod.

The Venerable Alexander Coffin reported as Archdeacon. Report ordered received and printed in the Journal.

Adjournment was made for luncheon in the Parish Hall.

#### Afternoon Session, Monday Jan. 24th, 1927

Reports of the Treasurers being the order of the day, Mr. W. D. Vincent, reported as Treasurer of the Trustees of the Jurisdiction of Spokane, motion was made to accept report and place on file. Carried.

Mr. W. D. Vincent, reported as Treasurer of the Church Pension Fund. Motion was made to accept report and place on file. Carried.

Mr. W. D. Vincent, reported as Treasurer of the Church's Program. Motion was made to accept report and place on file. Carried.

Mr. W. H. Farnham, reported as Treasurer of the District of Spokane. Motion was made to accept report and place on file. Carried.

Mr. W. H. Farnham read report as Treasurer of the Bishop of Spokane.

Dean Hennessy moved the suspension of the rules governing elections; that the two

clerical nominees receiving the highest number of votes be declared elected and the next three highest be declared elected alternates. Amendment was moved to use the same rule in electing the lay-delegates and the three lay-alternates. Carried.

The Rev. Mr. Stevens moved that the usual honorarium be allowed the verger of the Cathedral. Carried.

The Rev. Mr. Stevens moved that messages of congratulation and good-will be sent to Bishop Lemuel Wells, Bishop Herman Page and Dean G. W. Laidlaw. Carried.

The Rev. F. W. Pratt, Secretary of the Bishop and Council, read report. Same was ordered, received and placed on file.

The Rev. Elmer B. Christie and the Rev. John Pennell were formally introduced to Convocation.

Mr. Fred Phair moved that Convocation express to Dean Warren its regret because he is to leave the District. Carried.

Mr. Fred Phair moved that Convocation express to Dean Hennessy regret because he is to leave the District. Carried.

Bishop Cross nominated to the Bishop and Council:

The Ven. Alexander Coffin,  
The Rev. Ernest R. Allman,  
Mr. William H. Farnham,  
Mr. William D. Vincent

It was moved to confirm these nominations. Carried.

It was moved to proceed to elect the clerical and lay members of the Bishop and Council. Carried.

The Rev. Turpin A. Daughters and the Rev. Earl C. Schmeiser were placed in nomination. It was moved that the nomination be closed and the two nominees be declared elected. Carried. The Chair so declared.

The following were nominated for the lay members of the Bishop and Council.

Mr. Stoddard King, Mr. William J. Dilworth and Mr. Harry E. Hamilton.

It was moved that nominations be closed. Ballot was spread and Mr. Stoddard King and Mr. Harry E. Hamilton were declared elected.

Archdeacon Coffin reported as Vice-Chairman of the Department of Missions. Report was ordered received and referred to the Committee on the State of the Church and the Bishop's address. Carried.

Dean Warren, Vice-Chairman of the Department of Religious Education reported. Motion was made to accept report and ordered filed. Carried.

The Chair called the Rev. E. W. Burleson to the floor to discuss the Children's Lenten Offering. The Rev. Mr. Burleson spoke briefly and asked the privilege of the floor be granted Mrs. E. C. Schmeiser who is to have charge of the Offering for 1927. Mrs. Schmeiser urged upon Convocation greater efforts to increase the amounts given.

Adjournment was made at 4 p. m. until Tuesday, Jan. 25th, at 10 a. m.

### Tuesday Morning

Prayer was said and convocation called to order at 10 a. m.

Motion was made to order the secretary to publish the minutes of Convocation in the Journal of Convocation. Carried.

Mr. W. L. Stirling reported as Treasurer of St. Paul's School, Walla Walla. Motion was made to receive this report and print same in the Journal. Carried.

Moved that the thanks of Convocation be extended Mr. Stirling for his devoted and efficient service as the Treasurer of St. Paul's School. Carried.

Miss Nettie Galbraith reported as Principal of St. Paul's School. Motion was made to accept Miss Gilbraith's report and to order same printed in the Journal. Carried.

Mrs. Jay Fancy reported for the Department of Social Service. Motion was made to accept her report and print same in the Journal. Carried.

The Rev. James A. Palmer reported as Chaplain of St. Luke's Hospital. Motion was made to accept same and order it printed in the Journal. Carried.

The Committee on the State of the Church and Bishop's Address reported. Motion was made to accept this report and print same in the Journal. Carried.

The Rev. Mr. Stevens made a motion to add a line to the "delegates credential blanks," for entering the number of Communicants of the Parish or Mission issuing such credential that the work of the Committee on Credentials may be simplified. Carried.

The Committee on Privilege and Resolutions; moved the appreciation of Convocation for the courtesy and hospitality of the

Churches of the city in entertaining Convocation. Carried.

The Committee on Privilege and Resolutions moved that the matter of the honorarium of the Secretary be referred to the Bishop and Council. Carried.

Motion was made by the Rev. Mr. Burleson to place on permanent record its deep appreciation of the presence and helpful Crusade sermons and addresses of Bishop Remington and Mr. Walter MacPherson. Carried.

Motion was made by Mr. W. L. Stirling to appoint the Rev. Mr. Mynard a committee to draft a suitable resolution of appreciation of volunteer workers in the Church in this District. Carried.

Upon motion the following resolution was adopted.

Resolved that this Convocation desires to place upon its records its sense of high appreciation of the self-sacrificing labors of those who gladly give their services in choir and Church-School work in the Parishes and Missions of the District of Spokane. Carried.

The Minutes of the First Day of Convocation were read and approved.

Motion was made to authorize the Bishop and the Chairman of the Committee on the Dispatch of Business to approve the final draft of the minutes of Convocation.

Motion was made that this Convocation adjourn sine die. Carried.

Fredric W. Pratt, Secretary.

Approved:

Edward M. Cross, Bishop of Spokane

Bertram A. Warren, Chairman Committee on Dispatch of Business.

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### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS AND THE STATE OF THE CHURCH

The bird's eye view of the affairs of the district afforded by this bishop's address and the summary statistics for 1926 reveal a terrain rather surprisingly smooth and even. If we thought to find outstanding spiritual or material achievements, the result is somewhat disappointing. But this is the normal way for the bird's eye view to look. It would hardly be wise for a committee such as this to expect to be able to present an aerial photograph consisting

entirely of elevations or entirely of hollows. This is a report of fairly ordinary people who have been working for a year with other fairly ordinary people. The state of the church at any given point is a lifting of the curtain upon a drama of human interests, our special concern being to observe the hand of God as He directs the movements.

Taking into account a not too prosperous year in Eastern Washington, no pronounced movement of population into our district, and actual losses in some places, your committee feels that there is warrant for sober and thoughtful congratulation in the present situation. For, in both the material and the spiritual, there seems to be an upward trend of the landscape. While no rectories have been built, a number have been made more habitable or are about to be remodelled. We congratulate Cashmere on its splendid Parish Hall, conceived and erected in a fine spirit of initiative, sacrifice and faith. We note the need for new rectories at Roslyn and Colville, and the plans for building them in Pullman and Walla Walla. We hope that it may be possible to achieve a rectory each year until our clergy are suitably housed.

Your committee comments with pleasure upon the church building now in process of erection in Wenatchee, and expresses the hope that this is only the beginning in the building of churches of the type through which our Mother Church can adequately express her genius of worship and service.

We congratulate ourselves and our bishop upon the fact that the new Cathedral has advanced beyond the dream stage and is in process of realization. While buildings are not the most important feature of the church life, yet we are not quite playing fair with God when we expect Him to work miracles with the normal aesthetic sense of mankind every time one of our churches comes into view. We believe that the presence of the new cathedral will go a long way toward placing our church in the position of respect and appreciation where she ought rightfully to be.

The spiritual results of 1926 show some cause for joy. Confirmations increased from 219 to 311, the greatest number ever confirmed in this district in any one year.

Baptisms, however, decreased among children, while increasing among adults, the total figures being below those of 1925. The number of church families shows a gain while the number of communicants has increased by 473. Our Church School shows a gain of 63.

Financially, we seem to have received and spent less on ourselves than in 1925, but we have kept the faith better with the Kingdom of God in all the world than we have formerly done. This one thing should cause us to thank God and take courage.

Your committee wishes to urge that there be no slackening of interest and effort where our children are concerned. Loyalty to God and His church, loyalty to our obligation to our fellowmen, demand that we gather the children and teach them. Four children are enough to warrant a church school. We urge that the deaneries take up seriously the consideration of this matter and make plans which will care for the education of children as well as older persons in isolated sections. We must exert ourselves to overcome the inertia which has characterized us as a quite frankly urban church. We must get out into the country with the message of the Kingdom of God as it has been our heritage. We welcome the new work that is being done at White Bluffs along the Columbia River, and the revival of old work which had become apparently hopeless. In addition to these foregoing remarks and recommendations, your committee would recommend a definite demarcation of deanery boundaries, as we believe it would stimulate the forward work of the church.

We close by quoting one paragraph from the bishops address:—Briefly must it be said that the church strategy in this district must be preparation for the fast coming day of larger population and more difficult problems. The present is no time for a too aggressive missionary policy or elaborate expansions; but now is the time for a certain steadiness and perseverance of ministration that will show to the people of this district our fine Christian hopefulness for the future of all concerned, and our determination to minister up to the limit of our ability despite frequent failure, inadequate financial support, and the lack

of missionary opportunity due to the state's economic and population factors in eastern Washington.

A. L. Bramhall, Chairman  
Alexander Coffin  
Fred Phair  
T. A. Daughters.

#### BISHOP OF SPOKANE TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts and Disbursements from January 1, 1926 to December 31, 1926.

Cash on hand December 31, 1925...\$117.55

##### RECEIPTS:

National Council .....	\$34,048.46
Missions for self-support.....	10,261.80
Church's program (Nation-Wide)....	1,500.00
Interest on invested Funds.....	428.15
Outside sources .....	100.00
Refunds .....	584.14

Total Receipts .....

\$47,040.10

##### DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries: Bishop .....	\$ 4,200.00
Salaries: Clergy .....	24,818.96
Salaries: Bishop's Secretary.....	1,250.00
Travel: Bishop and Clergy.....	5,712.66
Office expenses .....	1,164.09
Repairs to Buildings.....	1,132.39
Insurance and taxes.....	444.19
Discretionary fund .....	2,886.30
Educational fund .....	2,562.20
Automobiles .....	1,228.56
St. Paul's School, Walla Walla....	750.00

Total Disbursements .....

\$46,149.35

Cash on hand December 31, 1926..\$ 890.75

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. Farnham,  
Treasurer for the Bishop.  
Spokane, Washington

January 11, 1927.

I have audited the record of cash receipts and disbursements of the Rt. Rev. Edward M. Cross, Bishop of the District of Spokane, for the period from January 1, 1926 to December 31, 1926, and believe the statements submitted herewith, which were compiled from the records, to be correct.

R. J. Wortman,  
Certified Public Accountant.

#### DISTRICT OF SPOKANE TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1927

January 1, 1926, Cash on hand..... \$102.21

Receipts: Exhibit "A"..... 620.75

\$722.96

Disbursements: Exhibit "A"..... 614.14

Cash on hand December 31, 1926...\$108.82

##### RECEIPTS

1926 Assessments paid:

All Saints', Spokane.....	\$150.00
Holy Trinity, Spokane.....	35.00
St. Peter's, Spokane.....	10.00
St. James', Spokane.....	16.00
Epiphany, Spokane.....	5.00
St. David's, Spokane.....	10.00
St. Thomas, Spokane.....	4.00
St. John's, Spokane.....	5.00
St. Mathew's, Spokane.....	30.00
Walla Walla .....	50.00
Yakima .....	50.00
Ellensburg .....	20.00
Sunnyside .....	10.00
Cheney .....	4.00
Pullman .....	9.00
Chelan .....	2.25
Omak .....	8.00
Northport .....	5.00
Granger .....	5.00
Orient .....	2.00
Colville .....	10.00
Wenatchee .....	25.00
Okanogan .....	12.00
Oroville .....	7.00
Davenport .....	5.00
Ritzville .....	5.00
Dayton .....	5.00
Colfax .....	10.00
Loomis .....	2.00
Prosser .....	10.00
Waterville .....	10.00
Mabton .....	5.00
Pasco .....	5.00
Omak .....	4.50
Cle Elum .....	5.00
Roslyn .....	12.00
Kennewick .....	10.00
Starbuck .....	5.00
Pomeroy .....	5.00
Republic .....	10.00
Palouse .....	10.00
Huntsville .....	2.00
Waitsburg .....	4.00

Myers Falls .....	5.00
Cashmere .....	5.00
Clarkston .....	2.00
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Total Receipts .....	\$620.75

## DISBURSEMENTS

Clergy expense 1926 convocation.....	\$163.04
F. W. Pratt, Secretary 1926 convoca- tion .....	50.00
H. White, Services as Janitor.....	10.00
Church News, Publishing 1926 Convo- cation number .....	150.60
Printing programs 1926 convocation..	34.25
1926 Assessment Province of Pacific..	106.00
Housing Delegates .....	95.50
Printing .....	4.75
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Total Disbursements .....	\$614.14

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. Farnham,  
Treasurer.

Spokane, Washington  
January 11, 1927

I have audited the records of Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the Treasurer of the District of Spokane of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and believe the statement submitted herewith, which was compiled from said records, to be correct.

R. J. Wortman,  
Certified Public Accountant.

**PAROCHIAL AND FINANCIAL REPORTS,  
JANUARY 1, 1926 TO DECEMBER 31,  
1926**

**REPORT PRINCIPAL ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL**

To the Rt. Rev. Edward M. Cross, S. T. D.  
President of the Convocation.

The past year has been for St. Paul's School significant only, in that it marks another milestone in its present era of relative prosperity.

Last year there were graduated from the high school department, nineteen seniors, constituting the largest class in the school's record so far. Of these nineteen, fifteen have gone on to higher institutions, an unusually high percentage, perpetuating the school's tradition of fine scholarship and high ideals.

When I say prosperity, I mean, also, our ability not only to defray current expenses and maintain and improve our equipment, but also to have available, from our earnings, funds which can be applied in scholarships, in order to widen the field of service of the school and make it available to as many as possible of those for whom even the very nominal tuition rate of this school, presents barriers.

Such funds represent of course, the fruits of careful husbanding of our resources—and of the earnest effort on the part of everyone connected with the institution to render full return in such service as alone makes true efficiency possible.

Our endowment to date is in the neighborhood of twenty-two thousand, as the report of the treasurer will show in detail. But that does not bring out the fact that more than half of that amount is the gift, personally of our beloved and revered Bishop Wells, and much of the rest of it is of his securing. This year he has again added the two thousand dollars (\$2,000), one thousand (\$1,000) of which represents no less a personal sacrifice than giving up his winter's trip to a warmer climate, as has been his habit for some years past. Too much credit can never be given to Bishop Wells for his devoted service to St. Paul's School, which owes to him not only its founding, but also its preservation in several crises that threatened its existence.

It is such personalities as these which are woven into the traditions of the school and give it its distinctive and lofty tone.

For that reason we witness with the deepest regret the approaching departure of Mr. Warren who for more than nine years has been our Chaplain and vice-president of our Board of Trustees. He has quietly, but effectually ministered to our spiritual needs, and has endeared himself to us by his very ready and very constant helpfulness, which we shall sadly miss. Such friends as he are not acquired easily nor lost without a consciousness of real deprivation.

May I say in conclusion that the affairs of the current year are progressing satisfactorily and every thing gives promise of success.

Respectfully submitted,  
Nettie M. Galbraith.



Balance in bank on hand	574.62
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	\$9,780.13
Respectfully submitted,	
W. D. Vincent,	
Treasurer.	

January 19, 1927.

### TREASURER OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE JURISDICTION OF SPOKANE

Statement of receipts and disbursements  
from January 1, 1926 to December 31, 1926.

#### RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1926 .....	\$	208.86
Interest and dividends....	528.85	
Received from building fund .....	320.69	
Sale of bonds.....	15,989.30	
Sale of property.....	250.00	
Borrowed money .....	1,749.31	
Funds received for trust..	7,295.82	
Notes due us paid.....	1,283.00	
	-----	\$27,625.83

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Sundry property expense \$	66.38
Property purchased .....	2,070.00
Investments purchased....	14,660.72
Expense repairs Bishop's house .....	1,249.21
Loans paid .....	1,749.31
Paid from trust funds....	7,350.00
Interest paid .....	145.90
Misc'l expense .....	3.65
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Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1926.....	330.66
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	\$27,625.83
General Fund .....	789.47
Rental Account .....	135.93
Building fund .....	1,000.00
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	\$ 7,421.61

#### INVESTMENTS

Notes Oroville .....	\$ 1,965.00
\$9,100.00 Units Trustee Co. ....	4,550.00

#### CONDITION OF FUNDS

Altar vessel fund.....	\$ 30.13
Chelan Church fund.....	1,477.45
Episcopal fund .....	346.65
Endowment of Episcopate fund .....	296.31
Leavenworth Church fund	202.72
Special Fund Education..	3,142.95

Certificate of Deposit	
Brewster, Wash. ....	45.82
E. S. Burgan & Son 6% Gold Bond .....	500.00
Savings account Altar Vessel fund .....	30.13
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	\$ 7,000.95
Balance in Bank.....	330.66
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	\$ 7,421.61

Respectfully submitted

W. D. Vincent,  
Treasurer.  
January 20, 1927

I do hereby certify that I have checked the securities as listed in the report of the treasurer of the Trustees of the Jurisdiction of Spokane and found them in the treasurers hands as stated. I also certify that I have checked the balance due on account from the Old National Bank and find it to agree with the report.

W. A. Schmitz,  
1412 Old Nat'l Bank Bldg.

### SAINT PAUL'S SCHOOL

Walla Walla, Wash.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Real estate, School plant.....	\$ 75,000.00
Equipment, School plant.....	10,000.00
Real estate, Harney County.....	1,200.00
Stocks and bonds.....	8,560.00
Mortgage Loans, Endowment fund	9,850.00
Bills receivable .....	4,475.00
Accounts in suspense.....	492.00
Accounts receivable .....	3,867.30
Spokane & Eastern Trust Co., Trustee .....	1,000.00
Interest accrued .....	23.17
Mortgage receivable .....	245.50
Life insurance premiums (Endowment) .....	2,604.40
Premium on bonds.....	3.04
Cash, Baker-Boyer Nat'l Bank Endowment .....	40.00
Cash, First Nat'l Bank (Current Expense) .....	190.30
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	\$117,550.71

#### LIABILITIES

Saint Paul's School.....	\$ 88,070.71
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Surplus fund .....	7,000.00
Accounts payable .....	700.00
Advance tuitions .....	30.00
Appleton endowment fund.....	3,000.00
Bishop Wells' Endowment fund..	12,594.00
Cochran Endowment fund.....	5,000.00
C. E. Edwards' Scholarship fund	1,000.00
Saint Paul's School endowment fund .....	116.00
Port Morris Land & Improvement Co. (Stock repayment) .....	40.00
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	\$117,550.71

Walla Walla, Washington.  
September 11, 1926.

### SAINT PAUL'S SCHOOL

Walla Walla, Washington

#### Gross Income and Expenditures as Applied to Loss and Gain Accounts Only School Year 1925-1926

#### INCOME

Board and tuition.....	\$34,539.25	
Music department .....	972.66	\$35,511.91
Interest .....		1,099.17
Gifts and scholarships..		975.10
Dividends .....		211.00
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		\$37,797.18

#### EXPENDITURES

Advertising and printing.....	\$	553.90	
Boarding supplies .....		5,925.21	
Expense .....		1,329.18	
Fuel .....		1,590.80	
Insurance premiums .....		296.50	
Laundry .....		730.44	
Light .....		388.80	
Repairs .....		559.95	
Salaries .....		9,822.00	
Scholarship funds applied .....		6,996.50	
School supplies .....		325.01	
Taxes .....		54.90	
Wages .....	\$	3,756.95	
Less (laundry) .....		279.62	3,477.33
Water .....			230.60
Depreciation on equip- ment .....	\$	32,281.12	2,111.13
Net Gain .....			3,404.93
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			\$37,797.18

### SAINT PAUL'S SCHOOL

Walla Walla, Washington

#### CASH ACCOUNT

School Year, 1925-1926, Covering Period  
Sept. 12, 1925 to Sept. 11, 1926.

#### RECEIPTS

Cash in bank, Sept. 12, 1925.....	\$	177.35
Cash received for board and tu- tion .....		26,648.65
Collections on old accounts.....		1,204.19
Bills receivable paid.....		75.00
Dividends .....		211.00
Interest collected .....		1,099.17
Donations for scholarship and cur- rent expense .....		850.10
Refund on school supplies.....		139.90
Refunds on expense account.....		194.25
Checks deposited and returned by bank .....		555.00
Advances by treasurer .....		700.00
Interest accrued received.....		24.74
Advance tuitions .....		30.00
Suspense accounts collected.....		480.00
Deposits for pupil's use.....		209.25
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		\$32,598.60

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Advertising and printing.....	\$	553.90
Boarding supplies .....		5,925.21
Equipment .....		2,111.13
Expense .....		1,482.37
Fuel .....		1,590.80
Light .....		388.80
Water .....		230.60
Laundry .....		450.82
Insurance premiums .....		296.50
Interest accrued .....		43.41
Life insurance premiums.....		1,302.20
Accounts payable paid.....		2,116.82
Funds applied for pupils' use.....		205.00
Refunds on checks returned and protested .....		558.00
Refunds on board and tuition.....		347.65
Repairs .....		559.95
Salaries .....		9,822.00
School Supplies .....		464.91
Music department expense.....		47.34
Premiums on bonds.....		3.04
Wages .....		3,756.95
Washington Water Power Co., stock subscription .....		96.00
Taxes .....		54.90

Cash on hand, First Nat'l Bank.	
Walla Walla, Wash.....	190.30
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	\$22,598.30

**ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL**  
**Walla Walla, Washington**  
**ENDOWMENT FUND**

**RECEIPTS**

H. F. Colwell loan, principal.....	\$1,800.00
Anna H. Whitney loan, % principal	500.00
Port Morris Land and Improvement	
Co., stock repayment on account	
of principal .....	40.00
Bishop Wells endowment fund,	
further on % .....	1,000.00

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Walter Rand loan, 2nd	
mtge. ....	\$ 650.00
Mtg. Sec. Corp. of Am.	
Bond insured .....	1,000.00

Mtg. Sec. Corp. of Am.	
Bond insured .....	500.00
U. S. Liberty Bonds, 1st	
4½ % .....	150.00
Nat'l Bond & Mtge. Trust	
Co., bond insured.....	1,000.00
Cash in Baker-Boyer Nat'l	
Bank .....	40.00

\$3,340.00 \$3,340.00

**ENDOWMENT**

Appleton endowment fund	\$ 3,000.00
Cochran endowment fund..	5,000.00
Bishop Wells endowment	
fund .....	12,594.00
St. Paul's School endow-	
ment fund .....	116.00
C. E. Edwards scholarship	
fund .....	1,000.00
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	\$21,710.00

**INVESTED AS FOLLOWS**

**Real Estate Mortgages**

Borrower	Acres	County and State	Rate	Amount
Oscar F. Robinson	43.6	Walla Walla, Washington	7%	\$ 200.00
Lora A. McBride		Walla Walla City Property	7%	750.00
L. Pugh	160	Walla Walla, Washington	6%	550.00
Marjorie Franks	47.5	Walla Walla, Washington	6%	1,200.00
Anna H. Whitney		Walla Walla City Property	6½ %	4,500.00
Walter Rand	50.25	Umatilla County, Oregon	7%	2,000.00
Walter Rand (2nd)	50.25	Umatilla County, Oregon	7%	650.00
				\$ 9,850.00

**Bonds**

Niagara Falls Power Company bond.....	6%	\$ 1,000.00
Indiana Steel Company bond.....	5%	1,000.00
Mortgage Security Corporation of America. bond (insured).....	6%	1,000.00
Mortgage Security Corporation of America bond (insured).....	6%	500.00
National Bond & Mtge. Trust Co. of Ill., guaranteed bond.....	6%	1,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bonds, 1st 4½ %.....		150.00
Spokane & Eastern Trust Company, trustee.....	\$6,500.00	1,000.00
Washington Water Power Company, stock—17 shares.....		1,700.00
Open Stair Dwellings Co., stock—9 shares.....		900.00

**Real Estate**

St. Paul's School Addition	
Lot "G", block "F" .....	\$ 650.00
Lot 16, block "F" (corner).....	1,050.00
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Harney County, Oregon	1,200.00
S½ Sec. 16, Twp. 33 S., R. 31 EWM—320 acres.....	
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	\$21,000.00

**Miscellaneous Stocks:**

Spokane Flour Mills, 8-10ths share.....	\$ 10.00
Ridgewood Land & Imp. Co., 25 shares.....	250.00
Hastings Square Hotel Co., 6 shares.....	300.00
Port Morris Land & Imp. Co., 2 shares.....	200.00
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	760.00
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	\$21,760.00

**ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL**  
**Walla Walla, Washington**  
**SCHOOL YEAR 1925-1926**

Boarders .....	53
Day pupils .....	46
Total .....	99
Faculty .....	9

**RETROSPECT**

School Year	Surplus	Deficit
1902-3 .....		\$1,184.30
1903-4 .....		1,199.80
1904-5 .....	\$ 109.10	
1905-6 .....	26.99	
1906-7 .....		395.76
1907-8 .....		1,678.75
1908-9 .....		4,803.38
1909-10 .....		5,044.50
1910-11 .....		2,911.00
1911-12 .....		973.58
1912-13 .....	10.31	
1913-14 .....		836.97
1914-15 .....	539.47	
1915-16 .....		569.94
1916-17 .....	781.00	
1917-18 .....	1,442.69	
1918-19 .....	2,410.27	
1919-20 .....	3,699.52	
1920-21 .....	3,074.53	
1921-22 .....	1,036.09	
1922-23 .....	20,785.34	
1923-24 .....	2,913.64	
1924-25 .....	1,808.92	
1925-26 .....	3,404.93	

W. L. Stirling,  
Treasurer of Saint Paul's School.

**SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL STATISTICS**  
**1926**

	1925	1926
Parish support receipts.....	\$55,041.82	\$54,174.62
Parish expenditures .....	44,539.50	43,730.72
Special Parochial re- ceipts .....	9,564.18	4,338.85
Special Parochial Ex- penditures .....	10,681.50	7,970.52
Total receipts .....	78,917.46	74,584.75
Total Expenditures .....	74,063.08	72,708.67

**APPENDIX I.**

**COMPARISONS OF PAROCHIAL**  
**STATISTICS, 1926**

Baptisms Children .....	201	173
Baptisms Adults .....	50	65

Baptisms Total .....	251	238
Confirmations .....	215	311
Marriages .....	99	105
Burials .....	141	162
Families .....	1544	1606
Individuals .....	593	528
Communicants .....	2870	3343
Gain .....		473
Church members.....	4730	4671
Offices said .....	1798	1764
Holy Communion .....	1054	1116
Teachers and officers.....	233	216
Church school pupils.....	1724	1801
Total in church schools.....	1954	2017
Church organizations .....		99
Church organizations membership.....		2213

**REPORT OF DISTRICT SOCIAL SER-**  
**VICE TO THE THIRTY-FIFTH AN-**  
**NUAL CONVOCATION**

When the request came from our Bishop for the report of the district social service, we began seeking information regarding the development of these activities, and while it has been impossible to get in touch with many who are known to be giving helpful service, we have evidence that through out the entire district there is a very sincere interest in community needs as well as that of our own people. It is evident that our minds are more socialized and that the clergy and laity alike are ready and willing to co-operate in the relief of undesirable conditions.

Looking back over the past five years, it would seem that a community-conscience and a community-will has been developed. Judging from experience it would seem to some of us that time and patience are more necessary than money, as funds sometimes hinder by enabling those of us who are anxious to help, to go on into the field of organized charity, where we have, through the generosity of the American people, institutions at our disposal through which almost every possible case of destitution or need may be met, providing that we know these institutions and so work with them that we can have co-operation and service which we are financially unable to give.

It is our privilege to report; the service rendered to the United States Government Veterans' Hospital by Rev. B. A. Warren, who as Chaplain has charge of arranging services for patients, making visits and

ministering to these men who are away from family and friends, many of whom are hopelessly ill. Mr. Warren has been able to assist the families of these men who visit at the time of extreme illness or death. Those of us who have visited these hospitals since the World War know how very much such kindness is needed.

Mr. Warren has been making weekly visits to the State penitentiary, lending encouragement and helping men upon their release. In this connection we are looking forward to the time when there may be operated in this state, through civic clubs or otherwise an employment agency for the purpose of securing employment for prisoners upon their release.

Rev. E. C. Schmeiser of St. James' Church, Cashmere, Washington, during the past year met the needs of a small army of apple harvesters who arrived with limited or no means at all, long before the fruit was ready to harvest. Mr. Schmeiser used his Parish house as a community center, established an employment agency where over 2100 persons were interviewed and 1500 registered. By getting in touch with employers many were placed in employment.

It became necessary to serve one meal a day which consisted of beans, bread and coffee for which a charge of five cents was made. The food was donated by merchants and residents who have been so appreciative of the service rendered the past year, that they have urged its continuance during the coming season.

Mr. Schmeiser is striving to better housing conditions for these workers.

Rev. Mr. Mynard, of St. Matthew's Church at Prosser, reports somewhat the same conditions during the fruit harvesting time and is hoping that the church may find a way of helping in this seasonable emergency.

Rev. E. W. Pigion, of St. Michael's church of Yakima, reports past year's activities which include meals for 30 people for Thanksgiving Day, providing employment Secretary for Y. W. C. A. for a period of 5 months, Christmas gifts and needed supplies for 50 people, furnishing leaders for community chest drive, gifts and financial assistance to day nursery which cares for children of working mothers during the fruit season.

The Woman's Auxiliary of St. Luke's

Church, Wenatchee, have a unique way of helping to supply needed clothing to fruit harvesters by having sales of good, but second hand clothing at reduced costs. Thereby supplying the need and at the same time making some money from the sale. Through these sales the Church comes in contact with the worker and in many ways gives real assistance.

Rev. Father Palmer, of Holy Trinity Church of Spokane, as Chaplain of St. Luke's Hospital, has ministered to hundreds of patients. He has organized a guild for nurses and an auxiliary for service to the hospital. Lectures are given and Chapel services held. Trinity church has for some time past been organized and active in social effort and has been endeavoring to develop higher standards and greater efficiency in social work of the church.

St. Peter's Church of Spokane, during the lenten season the past year, made 25 garments for the poor.

St. James Church of Spokane have appointed a committee on Social Service. They have arranged meetings for the discussion of social problems and have given assistance in this work to St. Luke's Hospital, Shriners' Hospital and All Saints' Cathedral.

Social work in the Cathedral the past year has been somewhat varied and difficult to report as time spent in investigation, number of visits required to finish a case, telephone calls, letters and interviews take a surprising amount of time.

Our work with individuals has been almost entirely among church members or persons who have been affiliated with the church. The Cathedral being a down-town church, necessarily brings us more closely in touch with the needs of the community, apartment dwellers and transient members. Much could be said of our strange experiences and the types of service required.

We have kept in mind our motto of helping people to help themselves and have undertaken to do this through employment. We have placed many for short time, day and permanent positions and have secured through the Y. W. C. A. an educational loan fund for a young woman living in the district. Voluntary gifts of money, food and clothing made our Christmas activities equal to that of past years.

During the Lenten season of last year the Choir Guild of All Saints' made 18 pairs of curtains for the Salvation Army Rescue home needed to be replaced because of fire. They also made 45 sleeping garments for the visiting nurse department of the Social Service bureau.

In an article on social service in the last issue of the Church at Work, Bishop Brent says that the Social Gospel has a definite place in the Bishops' Crusade and that the Christian experience is not complete until with Christ we have so identified ourselves with humanity that its joys, its sorrows and its needs become as our own.

Mrs. Jay W. Fancy

Member District Social Service Committee.

Chairman of All Saints' Social Service Committee.

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#### REPORT OF THE SECRETARY, BISHOP AND COUNCIL

Meetings of the Bishop and Council were held on February 10th and October 6th, of this year. Reports of actions taken will be heard from the several department heads.

At the Oct. 6th meeting the following clergymen were elected to serve out unexpired vacancies:

The Rev. Ernest R. Allman to succeed the Rev. Floyd J. Mynard. Term expiring 1927.

The Rev. Andrew L. Bramhall to succeed the Rev. Gilbert W. Laidlaw. Term expiring 1928.

Respectfully submitted,

F. W. Pratt,  
Secretary.

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#### THE ARCHDEACON'S REPORT

Another year has gone into the past, but its fruits abide in the living present. As one surveys the mission field from actual experience of the Church's life there, and observes the friendly ground when we put first things first and exalt the living Christ in the hearts of His people and in the world, one thing arises in the mind—hope concerning the future. Wherever I have taken hold of the problems of the work I have found loyal souls ready to work them out with me. I want to register satisfaction in my labors and a good response for what

of strength I have been able to put in. I am sure that in more than one place increased pastoral care will result in larger church attendance, and personal devotion and faithful lives will grow and the church as an entity will become an increasing power and influence.

The exigencies of the work have demanded a good deal of going hither and yon at critical times, as well as in the fulfillment of routine appointments.

My official acts have been as follows:

Celebrations of the Holy Communion.....	51
Other services .....	54
Church School sessions attended.....	17
Sermons and addresses .....	126
Baptisms .....	11
Marriages .....	none
Burials .....	2
Presented for Confirmation.....	7
Parish meetings and meetings of Bishop's Committees .....	13
Young People's meetings attended.....	4

And now we thank God and take courage, expecting better things all along the line. And as for Him, comes the power so to Him shall be the glory.

Respectfully submitted,

Alexander Coffin.

Archdeacon.

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#### REPORT OF THE CHAPLAIN OF ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL

The past year has been a very busy one. I am thankful however, in the fact, that I have been given new strength with which to meet the task.

I am sure you would not be at all interested in knowing how many times the Chaplain has visited the hospital, and how many individual sick calls have been made. The actual work of the Chaplain is something which cannot be really embodied in a report.

This year, I wish to bring to your attention, the wonderful work done for the hospital by the organization known at St. Luke's Auxiliary. Mrs. H. E. Bacon is the president, Miss Gertrude M. Bach the Secretary. The Auxiliary consists of women from all the Episcopal churches in Spokane. During the year, they have given, at least, 70 days of their time sewing at the institution and much sewing has been done in various par-

ish houses. 2984 articles have been made. A wonderful work. If more women would affiliate themselves with St. Luke's Auxiliary, even more might be accomplished. We thank the women for their labors.

In addition to work among the patients the Chaplain, twice each month, conducts an evening service for the members of the training school, which at present numbers 92. A large congregation. A great opportunity.

The work of the Chaplain would be exceedingly difficult without the help and good will of the hospital officials. I take this opportunity of thanking the Superintendent, the Supervisor of nurses, and the doctors, for their kind co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

James A. Palmer,  
Chaplain, St. Luke's Hospital.

#### REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MISSIONS

To the Bishop and Members of Convocation :

At a meeting of this department held in April and at a meeting of the department at Summer School the phase of the work relating to the isolated communicant or family was given consideration. It seemed to us that the interest of these brethren should receive attention at Deanery meetings.

This department notes with especial satisfaction the work of a number of lay-men and women in conducting group meetings and addressing congregations in the city of Spokane and in other places in preparation for the Crusade, a beginning of the Crusade, and is not to be considered as a part of a movement which will close with the delivery of the message of the Crusaders, but rather a quickening of the spiritual life of the whole church to a higher level and more active service. The efforts of the local Crusaders are appreciated and their valuable contribution of service is a cause of rejoicing to the church.

The department would register its sense of value of gatherings of church people in the several Deaneries to promote their work, and would indicate its willingness to co-operate with the Deans and other local leaders in such meetings.

A meeting of the Yakima Deanery was held in December in Ellensburg. Represent-

tatives were present from all the missions within the Deanery. Mrs. George Ware, of Hoquiam, Diocese of Olympia, gave three talks on "Women's Work" and the Rev. Mr. Arney, also of the Diocese of Olympia, gave two addresses on "Personal Religion." A mass meeting was held at which the Rev. E. W. Pigion preached.

A hopeful prospect of development is the missionary work in the White Bluff country where the Rev. Mr. Rolls has met a number of church families and held services.

Respectfully submitted,

Alexander Coffin,  
Vice-Chairman.

#### THE THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BISHOP OF SPOKANE

The year 1926 has had its ups and downs—but mostly ups—in the District of Spokane.

#### BAPTISMS

For 1925 the baptisms were, infants, 201; adults 50. For 1926, infants, 173, adults 65.

#### CONFIRMATIONS

The revised record for 1925 shows a total of 215 confirmations. For 1926 the total is 311. I believe this is by far the largest number of confirmations in any one year since the beginning of the District life. (See Appendix A for details.)

The Clergy of the District of Spokane surely deserves very special commendation for this splendid result. It represents devoted labor and inspiring leadership. Likewise it sets a high standard for 1927 and the years to follow.

#### THE YAKIMA DEANERY

Dean Rolls has been doing pioneer work in White Bluff, where he had found a number of church families. The Rev. Mr. Pigion has been looking after the revived work at Zillah; and The Rev. Mr. Mynard has been covering the extensive territory of the southern Yakima valley, including the work at Sunnyside, Mabton, Granger, and Prosser, where good interest is in evidence.

At the extreme northern end, The Rev. Mr. Sharp is doing a fine work at Roslyn, Cle Elum, and Ronald. It is very largely among the foreign-born.

### STATUS OF OUR MISSIONARY WORK

Dean Laidlaw has gone from Pullman—much to the loss of the whole District. Pullman is still vacant, but carrying on with good courage under the tenancy of The Rev. Leslie C. B. Hill.

Our college student lay readers, Mr. Thomas E. Jessett, Mr. Reuel Howe, and Mr. Matthew Stevens, are giving fine assistance in manning the missions of the Snake River Deanery.

Special mention must be made of the thriving state of our Mission at Colfax, which less than two years ago was declared hopeless.

### THE WENATCHEE DEANERY

Over the mountains in the Wenatchee Deanery, Dean Bramhall is carrying on the good work at Waterville in the face of the serious economic difficulties that section has experienced during the dry years. And, he is building a beautiful church at Wenatchee—a great enough task to take all of one man's time.

The Rev. E. C. Schmeiser is covering Cashmere, Chelan, Maryvale, Leavenworth, and Brewster. At the last named place we have again started our work after four years of inactivity. Mr. Schmeiser's "social service" activity in the interest of the fruit packers and growers of his community last fall is deserving of careful study and emulation.

In the northern part of the Wenatchee Deanery, The Rev. E. B. Christie, who succeeded Dean Gray, has entered enthusiastically into the work of his far-flung field. Okanogan, Omak, Oroville, Loomis and Winthrop find him regularly ministering to their needs. The churches under his care are revealing a healthy life and growth.

### COLVILLE DEANERY

This is our most difficult missionary field. Not that our church people are unfaithful, but because of loss of population and depression in economic conditions. We have had to fight and are fighting an uphill battle. This entire section is under the immediate supervision of Dean Allman, who in his ministrations has been blessed with the assistance of a devoted lay reader, Mr. Oliver Leiser. Here we must continue to battle to hold our own until the inevitable day

when a larger population will justify the church's investment of life and money in this field.

### SPOKANE DEANERY

The New Cathedral campaign has given us a new lease of life, hope for future growth and service throughout the city and surrounding country. Over \$200,000 was subscribed for the first unit of the new Cathedral,—approximately half of this coming from sources outside our church members.

St. James' Mission is thriving and fairly overflowing with life and activity.

On the north side Holy Trinity holds the fort, ably seconded by St. David's upon the hill. St. Matthew's and St. John's, now considering a plan for amalgamation and a more central local locality than either now possesses, promise the development of another strategic work in that section of the city.

The Hillyard work prospers, considering the fact that a little over a year ago the work had been closed. We have every reason for good courage in connection with this group of loyal people now gathered together by Deaconess Corbett and Mr. Donald Glazebrook. Their faithful and effective lay leadership is under the direction of the Dean of the Spokane Deanery, Father Palmer.

### ARCHDEACON'S FIELD

Immediately under the direction of the Archdeacon are the missions at Cheney, Davenport, Ritzville, and Farmington,—though this represents only a limited part of the work for which the Archdeacon is more or less continuously responsible. Ritzville shows new signs of interest and growth, as does Cheney. Farmington is a new field where the problems are yet to be worked out. Davenport is not encouraging. Most of our church people there have moved away. We are holding on with a monthly service so that we shall be ready for the better day that is surely coming.

Briefly must it be said that the Church's strategy in this District must be preparation for the fast-coming day of larger population and more difficult problems. The present is no time for a too aggressive missionary policy or elaborate expansions; but now is the time for a certain steadiness and

perseverance of ministration that will show to the people of this District our fine Christian hopefulness for the future of all concerned, and our determination to minister up to the limit of our ability despite frequent failure, inadequate financial support, and the lack of missionary opportunity due to the static economic and population factors in eastern Washington.

### CHURCH PROPERTY

We are improving. During 1926 the rectory at Okanogan has been enlarged; the Church at Brewster has been renovated; the log Church at Chelan has been oiled outside and in and improved with an up-to-date sign-board. At Cashmere a new parish hall has been completed. The Vicar and a number of his laymen contributed their labor. It would cost \$4,000 to erect such a building. The actual outlay was considerably less than \$3,000. The building is being used (as witness the "social service" work done during last year's apple gathering season.)

In Wenatchee they have already started their fine new church. The financial problems have not been solved entirely, but there is good promise of early resumption of construction and a consequent heartening of congregation that has shown splendid resources of faith and of cooperation under the leadership of Dean Bramhall.

At Yakima they have rebuilt the rectory interior and made an otherwise impossible building an altogether comfortable place for the rector's family.

At Colfax the church has undergone extensive repairs and been painted.

In Spokane the excavations for the first unit of the New Cathedral have been completed. St. David's church has undergone complete renovation inside and out. A new lawn has been started and trees have been planted.

To be able to report these improvements over against the fact that in no instance have any deteriorations been noted represents an appreciable improvement in the physical condition and value of our church property.

### FINANCIAL

The general income for Self Support for the year 1925 was \$55,041.82; for 1926 it was \$54,174.62. We pledged \$6,300.00 to the

National Council (as they requested) and we paid it—thanks to the splendid cooperation of the parishes and missions of the District, which almost without exception met the amount they had agreed to be responsible for.

In addition to these sums we completed the raising of our \$2000.00 pledge for the wiping out of the General Deficit and redeemed our promise made at General Convention in New Orleans.

### THE FUTURE

With respect to our physical needs I place comfortable rectories first. This is basic. Considering the very limited stipend received by our missionaries the least we can do is provide comfortable dwelling places for them. We must have a rectory at Cashmere where, at the present time, there is none. We are now making arrangements, due largely to the initiative of this group of people, to buy the house next door to the church; although this is only a temporary expedient and looks forward to the removal of the present small and out-of-date house in favor of a real rectory in the not too distant future.

We need a modern dwelling in place of the unstable vicar's house at Roslyn.

We are about to undertake the building of a new rectory at Pullman. No one could in conscience ask a clergyman to move his family into such a building as the present one.

A rectory must be provided at Colville. At the present time we have a virtually uninhabitable shack.

It is most gratifying to realize that St. Paul's Church, Walla Walla, has recently determined to replace the old rectory with a modern building. When one realizes that under the rectorship of Dean Warren the parish indebtedness has been cut in half, the parish itself placed upon a substantial and responsible basis, and that the people there have shown the courage to undertake this very necessary addition to their parochial equipment, one begins to appreciate the indefatigable labor and ability that has been addressed to the solution of parish problems in the city of Walla Walla.

**CLERGYMEN TRANSFERRED, 1926**

The Rev. D. V. Gray, from Okanogan to the Diocese of Oregon.

The Rev. A. H. F. Watkins, from Kennewick to the Diocese of Olympia.

While under this head of "Clergymen Transferred" I must pause long enough to record my keen regret that within so short a space we are to lose the men who have been in charge of our work in three strategic centers—Dean Laidlaw, Dean Hennessy, and Dean Warren. The very fact that the title "Dean" is to be found before each of these names indicates that these are key men, and that they have held key positions—all three men of exceptional intellect, power and ability. As I contemplate the vacancies in these three important places I would be blind indeed if I did not realize the momentousness of these changes and the great difficulty—if not indeed jeopardy—in the very process of replacement.

**CLERGYMEN RECEIVED, 1926**

By Ordination, The Rev. John B. Pennell, now in charge of Kennewick and Pasco.

By transfer, The Rev. Elmer B. Christie, from the Diocese of New Jersey, now in charge of Okanogan.

**POSTULANTS AND CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS, 1926**

Mr. Richard F. Ayers, Cambridge, Mass., Mr. Thomas E. Jessett, Pullman, Washington. Mr. Reuel Howe, Walla Walla, Washington.

**ORDINATIONS**

Monday, Feast of St. John the Evangelist, at Holy Trinity Church, I advanced The Rev. Leslie C. B. Hill to the Priesthood. Mr. Hill was presented by The Rev. James A. Palmer. The Sermon was preached by Dean Warren. The Epistle was read by The Rev. M. J. Stevens; and the Gospel by The Rev. H. J. Gurr. The Very Rev. H. G. Hennessy read the Litany. Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. T. A. Daughters and The Rev. F. W. Pratt.

On Wednesday, December 29th, at St. Paul's Church, Kennewick, I ordained to the Diaconate Mr. John B. Pennell. Morning Prayer was read by The Rev. W. A. Sharp

and The Rev. A. L. Bramhall. The sermon was preached by The Rev. F. J. Mynard. The Litany was read by The Rev. W. A. Sharp. The Epistle was read by Mr. John B. Pennell. The Gospel was read by The Rev. E. Leslie Rolls.

**LAY DELEGATES TO CONVOCATION 1927****Parishes**

Ellensburg, Mrs. E. Leslie Rolls, and Mrs. C. E. Ostrander.

Spokane All Saints' Cathedral, Mr. Fredric Phair, Mr. Dunbar Triplett, Mrs. Henry E. Bacon.

Spokane Holy Trinity, Mr. Stoddard King, Mr. J. A. S. Rodda, Mrs. J. P. L. Greene.

Walla Walla, Mr. W. L. Stirling, Miss Nettie Galbraith.

Wenatchee, Mrs. A. L. Bramhall.

Yakima, Mrs. L. W. Newhall, Mrs. Ada Holton.

**Missions**

Cashmere, Mrs. B. F. Tosch and Mrs. E. C. Schmeiser.

Chelan, Miss Frances Budd.

Colfax, Dr. Morris Auger, Mrs. Chas. R. Hill, Kennewick, Mrs. Chas. Crawford, Miss Dorothy Fisher.

Mabton, Mrs. B. C. Dunn.

Okanogan, Mrs. Elmer B. Christie.

Omak, Mrs. Martin Miller.

Palouse, Mrs. Edith Collard.

Pasco, Mrs. John Marshall, Mrs. Lee Barnes.

Pullman, Mr. M. J. Chapman.

Republic, Mr. George B. Stocking.

Ritzville, Mrs. W. C. Martin.

Spokane,

Epiphany, Mrs. A. W. Warner, Mrs. V. Rhoades.

St. David's, Mrs. Mary Cooper, Mrs. Lilla Chapman.

St. James', Mr. John King, Mr. H. S. Collins.

St. John's, Mrs. W. Johnson, Mrs. J. Ulley.

St. Matthew's, Mrs. M. E. Barth, Mr. W. J. Dilworth.

St. Peter's, Miss Gertrude M. Back, Mrs. H. N. Stockett.

St. Thomas', Mrs. V. Jones, Mr. John Thompson.

Starbuck, Mrs. Forest Kent, Mrs. C. H. Pearson.

**PAROCHIAL REPORTS, 1926**

**KEY:** B, Baptisms; C. M., Church members; C. P., Confirmed Persons; Ch. Sch., Church School; G., gain; Ins., Insurance; M., Marriages; Mem., Members; t & o., Teachers and Officers; T. Dis., Total Disbursements; T. Res., Total Receipts; Val., Value.

**Ellensburg Grace Church**

Rector, Rev. E. Leslie Rollis. Wardens and Vestry, Mr. Ralph Kaufman, Mr. Martin Cameron. Clerk, Mr. C. E. Ostrander, Mr. George M. Jenkins, Mr. H. G. Kaynor, Mr. J. C. Kaynor, Mr. W. B. Price. Official Acts: B., 9; C., 9; M., 7; Bur., 7. Cong: C. P., 139; G., 20; C. M., 250. Organization: Ch. Sch., t & o., 9; P., 59; Soc. 4; Mem., 88.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$2,940.50. Disbursements, \$2,939.93; Bal., \$0.57. Property: Value, \$18,000.00; Insurance, \$6,300.00; Debit, \$.....; Invested Funds, \$.....

**Spokane, All Saint's Cathedral**

Dean, The Very Rev. H. G. Hennessy. Wardens and Chapter, Mr. Fredric Phair, Mr. B. Gard Ewing. Clerk, Mr. David H. Knapp, Mr. H. E. Bacon, Mr. Phil Becher, Mr. Philip S. Brooke, Dr. Joseph Aspray, Mr. H. G. C. Fry, Mr. J. W. MacIntosh, Mr. R. Bruce Montgomery, Mr. Harold G. Phair, Mr. Dunbar Triplett, Mr. H. C. Whitehouse, Dr. Frank Rose, Dr. C. A. Veasey, Jr. Organization: Ch. Sch., t & o., 16; P., 185; Soc., 11; Mem., 423.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$18,442.51. Disbursements, \$18,018.57. Bal., \$423.94. Property: Value, \$148,000.00. Insurance, \$29,500.00. Debt, \$8,985.37. Invested Funds, \$.....

**Spokane, Holy Trinity**

Rector, Rev. James A. Palmer. Wardens and Vestry, Mr. E. H. Knight, Mr. J. M. Dutton. Clerk, Mr. K. K. Keeler, Dr. E. B. Nelson, Mr. J. P. L. Greene, Mr. J. A. S. Rodda, Mr. C. W. Hill. Official Acts: B., 12; C., 8; M., 13; Bur., 7. Cong: C. P., 219; G., 26; C. M., 290. Organization: Ch. Sch., t & o., 15; P., 125; Soc., 6; Mem., 102.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$4,631.19. Disbursements, \$4,554.66. Bal., \$76.53. Property: Value, \$20,485.00. Insurance, \$14,500.00. Debt, \$..... Invested Funds, \$100.00.

**Walla Walla, Saint Paul's**

Rector, Rev. Bertram A. Warren. Wardens and Vestry, Mr. W. L. Stirling, Mr. J. W. Langdon. Clerk, Mr. Clarence F. Jones, Mr. W. G. Hughes, Mr. Edgar A. Johnson, Mr. John Chandler, Mr. Ralph Glafke, Mr. L. Earl Kennedy, Mr. Clyde Lester. Official Acts: B., 13; C., 23; M., 11; Bur., 13. Cong: C. P., 334; G., 2; C. M.,..... Organization: Ch. Sch., t & o., 15; p., 119; Soc., 6; Mem., 109.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$7,869.12. Disbursements, \$7,468.93. Bal. \$400.19. Property: Value, \$39,100.00; Insurance, \$25,000.00; Debt, \$7,125.00; Invested Funds, \$.....

**Wenatchee, Saint Luke's**

Rector, Rev. Andrew L. Bramhall. Wardens and Vestry, Mr. Herbert J. Cheever, Mr. J. A. Goodfellow. Clerk, Mr. Ben F. Brown, Mr. John P. Rafter, Mr. Jack Kilmer, Mr. Joe T. Bowen, Mr. C. M. Stewart, Mr. W. E. Mills, Mr. D. D. Dodson, Mr. A. J. Dear. Official Acts: B., 9; C., 16; M., 7; Bur., 6. Cong.: C. P., 193; G., 71; C. M., 304. Organization: Ch. Sch., t & o., 11; p. 80; Soc. 4; Mem., 107.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$3,475.29. Disbursements, \$3,475.29. Bal. \$..... Property: Value, \$20,500.00.

**Yakima, Saint Michael's**

Rector, Rev. Ethelward W. Pigion. Wardens and Vestry, Mr. R. B. Milroy, Mr. A. A. Aves. Clerk, Mr. E. J. Forman, Mr. George H. Bradshaw, Mr. Robert Hardy, Mr. Owen Jones, Mr. A. J. Ambrose, Mr. E. B. Riley, Mr. Fred Ross. Official Acts: B., 19; C., 25; M., 8; Bur., 9. Cong.: C. P., 327; G., 68; C. M., 458. Organization: Ch. Sch., t & o., 14; p., 148; Soc., 7; Mem., 272.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$11,451.83. Disbursements, \$11,390.11. Bal. \$61.72. Property: Value, \$65,900.00; Insurance: \$18,100.00; Debt, \$6,700.00.

**Brewster, Saint James'**

Vicar, Rev. Earl C. Schmeiser. Treasurer, Mrs. E. R. Tyler. Official Acts: Bur., 1. Cong.: C. P., 4; G., 4; C. M., 8.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$246.60. Disbursements, \$85.03. Bal. \$161.57. Property: Value, \$12,800.00; Insurance, \$4,500.00;

**Cashmere, St. James'**

Vicar, Rev. Earl C. Schmeiser. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. John Kuelbs.

Clerk, Mr. C. C. Ward, Mrs. S. H. Andrews, Mrs. H. W. Taylor, Mrs. Clarence Schmitt. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 11; Bur. 3. Cong.: C. P., 45; G., 7; C. M., 68. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; p., 14; Soc., 2; Mem., 33.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$4,395.92. Disbursements, 4,371.05. Bal., \$24.87. Property: Value, \$7,500.00; Insurance, \$4,000.00.

#### **Chelan, Saint Andrew's**

Vicar, Rev. Earl C. Schmeiser. Bishop's Committee, Mrs. Ben Smith, Miss Frances Budd. Clerk, Mrs. George Richardson. Cong: C. P., 29; G., 9; C. M., 55; Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; p., 22; Soc., 1; Mem., 14.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$600.27. Disbursements, \$566.10. Bal. \$34.17. Property: Value, \$14,000.00; Insurance, 2,400.00.

#### **Cheney, St. Paul's**

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Warden, Dr. A. R. Lang. Clerk, Miss Catherine Dutting. Bishop's Committee, Mrs. F. L. Ratcliffe, Mrs. Clarence Hubbard, Mr. L. H. Thornberg, Miss Virginia Dickenson. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 3. Cong.: C. P., 12; G., 4; C. M., 17. Organization: Soc. 1; Mem., 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$133.38. Disbursements, \$133.38. Property: Value, \$2,500.00; Insurance, \$1,500.00.

#### **Cle Elum, Holy Nativity,**

Vicar, Rev. William A. Sharp. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. Peter Birchall, Mr. W. Hamilton, Mrs. W. T. Burcham, Mrs. J. D. Willis. Official Acts: B., 2; Bur., 3. Cong.: C. P., 20; C. M., 60. Organization: Soc. 2; Mem., 13.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$212.69. Disbursements, \$211.83. Bal. \$.86.

#### **Colfax, Church of the Good Samaritan**

Lay-reader in charge, Mr. Thomas Jessett. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Dr. Morris Auger. Clerk, Mr. George Wyman, Mrs. Charles R. Hill, Mrs. George Cornelius, Dr. A. S. Watrous. Official Acts: B., 11; C., 5; Bur., 4. Cong.: C. P., 23; G., 5; C. M., 57. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; p., 25; Soc., 1; Mem., 29.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$716.74. Disbursements, \$648.75. Bal. 67.99. Property: Value, \$9,500.00; Insurance, \$3,500.00.

#### **Colville, Saint John's**

Vicar, Rev. Ernest R. Allman. Warden, Mr. J. P. Vroom. Clerk, Mrs. Lester Cohrs.

Bishop's Committee, Mr. C. L. Baker, Mr. M. A. Rodman, Mr. J. F. Vine, Mr. W. B. Lane, Dr. John J. Ingle, Mrs. C. H. Hydorn. Official Acts: B., 4; C., 3. Cong.: C. P., 30. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; p., 18. Soc., 1; Mem., 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$393.09. Disbursements, \$379.30. Bal. \$13.79. Property: Value, \$2,700.00; Insurance, \$1,500.00.

#### **Davenport, Saint Luke's**

Vicar, Ven. Alexander Coffin. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. Fred Denson, Mr. Robert M. Dye. Clerk, Mrs. A. E. Rude. Mrs. Claude Mansfield. Official Acts: B., 1, Cong.: C. P., 12; C. M., 19.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$435.51. Disbursements, \$328.82. Bal. \$106.69. Property: Value, \$3,700.00; Insurance, \$3,800.00.

#### **Dayton, Grace**

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Bishop's Committee, Mrs. Clyde Weatherford, Mrs. Jane Corbett. Clerk, Mrs. Walter Cadman. Official Acts: C., 1. Cong.: C. P., 11; C. M., 23. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 1; p., 5; Soc., 1; Mem. 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$172.67. Disbursements, \$161.81. Bal. \$10.86. Property: Value, \$4,400.00; Insurance, \$2,300.00.

#### **Granger, Grace**

Vicar, Rev. Floyd J. Mynard. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. Daniel Ward. Mr. William Christensen, Mrs. Floyd Rinhold, Mrs. C. R. Havighorst. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 7. Cong.: C. P. 18, G., 7; C. M., 34. Organization: Soc. 1; Mem. 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$184.47. Disbursements, \$135.52. Bal. \$48.95. Property: Value, \$2,400.00; Insurance, \$1,500.00.

#### **Huntsville, Saint James' the Less**

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Bishop's Committee, Clerk, Mrs. Wade Wolf. Official Acts: B., 1; Cong.: C. P., 2; C. M., 9. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 1; P., 6.

#### **Kennewick, Saint Paul's**

Vicar, Rev. John B. Pennell. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. Frank R. White. Clerk, Mrs. Walter J. Barnes, Mr. Robert Q. Macmahon, Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Mrs. L. M. Keene, Mrs. Herman Schmidt, Mrs. William Muldrow, Mr. J. W. Hull, Mr. L. E. Johnson, Miss Genevieve Craver, Mrs. W. J. Barnes. Official Acts: B., 1; C., 1; Bur. 1. Cong.: C P., 52; C. M., 65. Organization:

Ch. Sch., t. & o., 4; P., 26; Soc., 3; Mem., 30.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$1,024.53. Disbursements, \$1,020.20. Bal. \$4.33. Property: Value, \$6,000.00. Insurance, \$3,000.00.

#### Loomis, Saint Stephen

Vicar, Rev. Elmer B. Christie. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. J. M. Richmond, Mrs. J. M. Richmond. Clerk, Mr. Jack Ford, Miss Dorothy Burberry. Official Acts: B., 4; C., 3; Bur., 2. Cong.: C. P., 26; G., 9; C. M., 47. Organization: Soc. 1; Mem., 16.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$224.88. Disbursements, \$180.23. Bal. \$44.65.

#### Mabton, Saint Luke's

Vicar, Rev. Floyd J. Mynard. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Dr. B. C. Dunn, Mrs. G. C. Linden. Clerk, Mrs. B. C. Dunn. Official Acts: C., 1. Cong.: C. P., 13; G., 1; C. M., 18. Organization: Soc., 1; Mem., 11;

Financial: Total Receipts, \$182.71. Disbursements, \$160.05. Bal., \$22.66. Property: Value, \$2,500.00; Insurance, \$1,200.00.

#### Maryvale, St. Mary's

Vicar, Earl C. Schmeiser. Bishop's Committee, Clerk, Mrs. E. A. Smith. Cong.: C. P., 4; C. M., 12. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 1; p. 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$93.49. Disbursements, \$93.49. Property: Value, \$1,000.00; Insurance, \$1,000.00.

#### Northport, Church of the Holy Comforter

Vicar, Rev. E. R. Allman. Bishop's Committee, Mrs. L. E. Critchett, Mrs. E. C. Stevens, Mrs. Fred Nudell. Official Acts: B., 1. Cong.: C. P., 13; C. M., 20. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; P., 9.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$123.37. Disbursements, \$123.37. Property: Value, \$2,750.00. Insurance, \$2,000.00.

#### Okanogan, Saint John's

Vicar, Rev. Elmer B. Christie. Bishop's Committee, Mr. C. E. Blackwell, Mrs. J. R. Everett, Mr. E. C. Quackenbush, Mr. R. W. Dorsey, Mr. L. L. Goermer, Mr. Howard Viet. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 7; M., 4; Bur., 2. Cong.: C. P., 69; G., 32; C. M., 113. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 49; Soc. 5; Mem., 71.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$734.87. Disbursements, \$734.87. Property: Value, \$12,400.00; Insurance, \$10,500.00.

#### Omak, Saint Paul's

Vicar, Rev. Elmer B. Christie. Warden, Mr. Calvin Casteel. Bishop's Committee, Mr. Lawrence Blackwood, Mr. W. R. Jaquist. Clerks, Mr. A. Dale Green, Mrs. Martin Miller, Mr. W. D. Funk, Mrs. L. W. Lamaroux. Official Acts: B., 9; C., 16; M., 1; Bur., 2. Cong.: C. P. 68; G., 26; C. M. 142. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 11; P., 49. Soc., 5; Mem., 77.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$842.25. Disbursements, \$839.30. Bal. \$2.95. Property: Value, \$5,200.00; Insurance \$2,000.00.

#### Oroville, Trinity

Vicar, Rev. Elmer B. Christie. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. Charles Powell, Miss Nan Jardine, Mrs. E. Klingman, Mr. M. L. Read, Mr. R. Simpson. Official Acts: B., 5; C., 7; Bur., 1. Cong.: C. P., 79; G., 33; C. M. 124. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 43; Soc., 4; Mem., 62.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$455.04. Disbursements, \$435.93. Bal., \$19.11. Property: Value, \$7,800.00; Insurance, \$5,200.00; Debt, \$1,700.00.

#### Palouse, Holy Trinity

Vicar, Rev. Edward W. Burleson. Bishop's Committee, Wardens, Mr. A. K. Harrington, Mr. A. J. Causton, Mr. R. L. Smith, Mr. Sidney Lewis, Mr. Allen Lamphere. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 2; Bur., 6. Cong.: C. P., 29; G., 2; C. M., 48. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; P., 17; Soc., 2; Mem., 34.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$905.82. Disbursements, \$856.96. Bal. \$48.86. Property: Value, \$6,300.00; Insurance, 2,750.00.

#### Pasco, Church of Our Saviour

Vicar, Rev. John B. Pennell. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. J. W. Blanton. Clerk, Mr. S. Lee Barnes. Official Acts: B., 1; C., 7. Cong.: C. P., 59; G., 1; C. M., 68. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 32; Soc., 3; Mem., 30.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$672.27. Disbursements, \$672.27. Property: Value, \$2,500.00; Insurance, \$1,200.00.

#### Pomeroy, Saint Peter's

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Wardens, Mr. J. R. Stevenson. Mrs. C. H. Mowery, Mrs. J. N. Keats, Mrs. E. O. Crump, Mrs. W. F. Hull, Mrs. G. W. Jewett, Mrs. J. R. Stevenson. Cong: C. P. 26; C. M., 35. Organ-

ization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; P., 27; Soc. 1; Mem., 27.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$870.36. Disbursements, \$ 526.84. Bal., \$343.52. Property: Value, \$4,290.00; Insurance, \$2,000.00

#### Prosser, Saint Matthew's

Vicar, Rev. Floyd J. Mynard. Warden, Mr. Alexander MacNeill. Clerk, Mr. Arthur Bragdon, Mrs. B. P. Lawrence, Mrs. E. Kemp, Mrs. W. Kemp. Official Acts: B., 4; C., 3; M., 1; Bur. 1. Cong: C. P., 36; G., 2; C. M. 71. Organization: Soc. 1; Mem., 20.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$599.52. Disbursements, \$583.39. Bal. \$16.13. Property: Value: \$7,300.00, Insurance, \$4,200.00; Debt, \$467.50.

#### Pullman, Saint James'

Warden, Mr. M. J. Chapman. Clerk, Prof. F. J. Taylor. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 8; M., 2, Bur., 2. Cong.: C. P. 52; C. M., 83. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 6; P., 45.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$1302.74. Disbursements, \$1283.99. Bal. \$18.75. Property: Value, \$18,600.00; Insurance, \$4,000.00.

#### Republic, Church of the Redeemer

Vicar, Rev. Ernest R. Allman. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. George B. Stocking. Clerk, Mr. H. J. Lycett, Mrs. G. W. Lanskill, Mr. L. J. Plant, Mrs. L. J. Plant, Mrs. Fred Howle, Mr. L. J. Murphy. Official Acts: B., 2; C., 5; M., 1; Bur., 5. Cong: C. P., 37; G., 5; C. M., 55. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 4; P., 23; Soc., 3; Mem., 21.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$587.21. Disbursements, \$587.21. Property: Value, \$12,500.00. Insurance, \$3,000.00.

#### Ritzville, Saint Mark's

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. A. L. Wiffin. Clerk, Mrs. Claude Harris, Mrs. J. J. Johnston, Mrs. W. C. Martin, Mr. J. H. Davis, Mr. Walter Staser. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 3; Bur., 1. Cong.: C. P., 29; G., 5; C. M., 45. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 15; Soc., 1; Mem., 22.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$546.18. Disbursements, \$524.03. Bal. \$22.15. Property: Value: \$2,550.00. Insurance, \$1,000.00.

#### Roslyn, Calvary

Vicar, Rev. William A. Sharp. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Dr. A. J. Low, Mr. W. Adam, Mr. Harry Boardman. Official Acts: B., 12; C., 8; M., 4; Bur., 19. Cong.,

C. P., 60; G., 6; C. M., 340. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 10; P., 214; Soc., 5; Mem., 68.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$1,135.49. Disbursements, \$1,129.36. Bal. \$6.13. Property: Value, \$6,200.00; Insurance, \$5,100.00.

#### Spokane, Epiphany

Vicar, Rev. James A. Palmer. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. A. W. Warner, Mr. O. Buckley, Mrs. V. Rhoades, Mrs. A. M. Stevenson, Mrs. V. McDavis. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 12; M., 1. Cong.: C. P., 35; G., 13; C. M., 67. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 21; Soc., 2; Mem., 19.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$598.98. Disbursements, \$586.60. Bal. \$12.38. Property: Value, \$5,100.00. Insurance, \$2,250.00.

#### Spokane, Saint David's

Vicar, Rev. F. W. Pratt. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. F. L. Kershaw, Mr. J. H. Cooper, Mrs. J. H. Cooper, Mr. Herbert Sheppard, Mrs. J. B. Douville, Mr. Homer Baltzell, Mrs. Homer Baltzell. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 3; M., 1; Bur., 1. Cong.: C. P., 50; G., 3; C. M. 85. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 8; P., 61; Soc. 2; Mem., 24.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$776.00. Disbursements, \$776.00. Property: Value, \$5,000.00; Insurance, \$4,000.00.

#### Spokane, Spokane

Vicar, Rev. Turpin A. Daughters. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. John King. Clerk, Mr. H. C. Wegner, Mr. P. R. Dunbar, Mr., M. R. Morton, Hon. R. M. Webster, Mr. W. S. Gilbert, Mr. A. L. Bright, Mr. Earl Hunt, Mr. Don Campbell, Mr. C. D. Crowther. Official Acts: B., 25; C., 56; M., 6; Bur., 8. Cong.: C. P. 213; G. 96; C. M., 547. Organization: Ch. Sch. t. & o., 22; P., 180; Soc., 7; Mem., 218.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$2,753.70. Disbursements, \$2,757.93. Bal. \$77. Property: Value, \$27,050.00. Insurance, \$7,500.00; Debt, \$400.00.

#### Spokane, Saint John's

Vicar, Rev. M. J. Stevens. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. A. J. Potter. Clerk, Mr. John S. Juul, Mr. J. Hammel, Mrs. L. Shaw, Mrs. J. Graham, Mrs. J. Ulley, Mrs. J. H. Eby. Official Acts: B., 4; M., 7; Bur., 4. Cong.: C. P., 43; C. M., 63. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 4; P., 41; Soc., 1; Mem., 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$976. Disbursements, \$976.00. Property: Value, \$7,500.00. Insurance, \$5,500.00.

#### Spokane, Saint Matthew's

Vicar, Rev. Fredric W. Pratt. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. J. J. Graham, Mr. Harry E. Hamilton, Mr. William J. Dilworth, Mr. Cecil Fletcher, Mr. Chas. A. Johnson, Mr. John T. Wright, Mr. Julius T. Nelson, Mr. David Dilworth. Official Acts: B., 2; M., 2; Bur., 18. Cong.: C. P., 68; C. M., 90. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 41; Soc., 3; Mem., 52.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$1,700.87. Disbursements, \$1,630.03. Bal. \$70.84. Property: Value, \$10,000.00. Insurance, \$6,000.00. Invested Funds, \$2,225.04.

#### Spokane, Saint Peters,

Vicar, Rev. Turpin A. Daughters. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. H. W. Morris. Clerk, Miss Gertrude M. Back, Mrs. John Neeley, Mrs. Ted Permain, Mrs. H. N. Stockett. Official Acts: B., 6; Bur., 2. Cong.: C. P., 34; C. M., 92. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; P., 26; Soc., 2; Mem., 19.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$469.54. Disbursements, \$469.54. Property: Value, \$6,225.00. Insurance, \$3,800.00.

#### Spokane, Saint Thomas'

Vicar, Rev. Matthew J. Stevens. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. J. H. Thompson. Clerk, Mr. D. C. Robinson, Mr. Virgil Pittman, Mr. J. Mapps, Mr. T. Bell, Mr. W. B. Edmondson, Mr. Sam Carl, Mrs. Olive Barrow. Official Acts: Bur., 1. Cong.: C. P., 25; C. M., 29. Organization: Soc., 1; Mem., 10.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$572.00. Disbursements, \$572.00. Property: Value, \$4,100.00; Insurance, \$2,000.00.

#### Starbuck, Holy Trinity

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. A. J. Tomlinson. Clerk, Mrs. Forest Kent, Mrs. Burton Delaney, Mrs. C. W. Pearson, Miss Alice Hukill, Mrs. W. Meyers. Official Acts: B., 7; C., 10. Cong: C. P., 31; G., 5; C. M., 49. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 28; Soc. 2; Mem., 25.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$328.67. Disbursements, \$279.33. Bal., \$49.34. Property: Value, \$2,400.00; Insurance, \$1,000.00.

#### Sunnyside, Trinity

Vicar, Rev. Floyd J. Mynard. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. Benjamin Scratchard, Mr. W. L. Boomer, Mr. H. C. Ball. Clerk, Mrs. R. Shearer, Mrs. A. M. Murphi. Official Acts: B., 6; C., 1; M., 1; Bur., 2. Cong.: C. P., 34; C. M., 48. Organization: Soc., 1; Mem., 20.

Financial Total Receipts, \$578.33. Disbursements, \$365.33. Bal., \$213.00. Property: Value, \$6,500.00; Insurance, 2,900.00.

#### Waterville, Saint Luke's

Vicar, Rev. A. L. Bramhall. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Mr. A. H. Murdock. Clerk, Mrs. Elsie Wilcox, Mrs. Maxine Stanley, Mrs. Emma Murdock. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 2; Bur., 1. Cong: C. P., 23; G., 1; C. M., 37. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 3; P. 7.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$353.01. Disbursements, \$312.36. Bal. \$40.65. Property: Value, 1,600.00; Insurance, \$1,000.00.

#### Winthrop, Saint James'

Vicar, Rev. Elmer B. Christie. Treasurer, Mrs. W. V. Hoose. Cong: C. P., 6; G., 2; C. M., 17. Organization: Soc. 1; Mem., 8. Property: Value, \$1,000.00; Insurance, \$800.00.

#### Zillah, Christ Church

Vicar, Rev. E. W. Pigion. Bishop's Committee, Warden, Dr. Andrew McCracken. Clerk, M. Geoffrey Hilton, Mr. R. D. Herod, Mr. Geo. F. Thielke, Mr. A. D. McKelvie. Official Acts: B., 2; Bur., 2. Cong: C. P., 15. Organization: Soc., 1; Mem., 23.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$209.61. Disbursements, \$78.28. Bal., \$131.33. Property: Value, \$5,000.00; Insurance, \$4,000.00.

#### Orient

Vicar, Rev. Ernest R. Allman. Official Acts: C., 1. Cong: C. P., 13; G., 1. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 5; P., 35.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$42.23. Disbursements, \$42.23.

#### Kahlotus

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Warden, Mr. H. L. Allen. Cong.: C. P., 4; G., 4.

#### Farmington

Vicar, Archdeacon Coffin. Official Acts: B., 3; C., 1. Cong: C. P., 8; G., 8; C. M., 15.

**Meyers Falls**

Vicar, Rev. Ernest R. Allman. Cong: C. P., 14. Organization: Ch. Sch., t. & o., 6; P., 34.

Financial: Total Receipts, \$180.41. Disbursements, \$179.75. Bal., \$0.66.

**Leavenworth**

Vicar, Rev. Earl C. Schmeiser. Cong: C. P., 14; G., 3; C. M., 18. Organization: Soc., 1; Mem., 9.

Financial: Receipts, \$272.24. Disbursements, \$70.00. Bal., \$202.24.  
John started here.

**WOMEN'S AUXILIARY**

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the District of Spokane, was held at All Saints' Cathedral, January 26, 1927. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 A. M., by the President, Mrs. Frank Atkinson.

Mrs. Edward M. Cross conducted the devotional service.

The minutes of the Board Meetings that were held during the year were read and approved.

Moved and seconded that the body of delegates accept the action of the Board in regard to the National Assessment to the Church Missions House being increased to \$15.00. Carried.

Mrs. J. K. MacCornack, the Treasurer gave the following report:

Cash on hand, January 1, 1927.....	\$81.66
Per Capita Dues .....	131.42
Total .....	\$213.08

Disbursements .....	\$60.14
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Total Balance on hand, December 31, 1926 .....	\$152.94
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Motion made and seconded that the report be accepted and filed. Carried.

The roll call of delegates to the Annual Meeting of the Women's Auxiliary followed this report. There were sixty delegates, and seven officers present.

Motion made and seconded that the Branches whose dues were late, be accepted and that they be given a seat in Convocation.

The United Thank Offering Treasurer, Mrs. R. Q. MacMahon gave the following United Thank Offering Report for the year 1926:

Moneys received too late for 1925 .....	\$6.35
Moneys received during 1926 .....	501.80
Interest to January 1, 1927 .....	8.08

	\$516.23
Less Stamps .....	1.00
Total .....	\$515.23

Box Secretary, Mrs. B. B. Dimon had no report, but asked for a conference at noon, with those interested in or wanting information regarding Box Work.

The Educational Secretary, Mrs. John King, reported \$30.00 worth of books purchased during the year with \$9.00 worth to be disposed of at this time. Mrs. King spoke of letters sent out, committees formed, programs used, visits made, and her attendance at summer school, where she came in contact with workers from all over the District.

Mrs. Phil Becher was asked by the President to read the following list of former Presidents of the Women's Auxiliary:

Miss Glass	Mrs. C. K. Merriam
Mrs. C. G. Brown	Mrs. Wilson Johnson
Mrs. Phil Becher	Mrs. J. J. Skuse
Miss Whitely	Mrs. W. H. Farnham
Mrs. Frank Atkinson	

The President read the following list of Life Members of All Saints' Branch:

Mrs. Herman Page	Miss Julia Bailey
Mrs. Wilson Johnson	Mrs. Muhall Malkoff
Mrs. Frank Atkinson	Mrs. Frank Jones

The President requested that the names of those to whom we might send Auxiliary greeting, be handed to the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. P. L. Greene.

The President read a report from Mrs. William Goodyear, of Pullman, Wash., who has charge of the work of raising the money for the Berkley School for Deaconess Training. This report shows \$41.00 to date. The President asked that the balance be sent in by the time of the Provincial Annual Meeting in May.

An interesting fact in connection with the Berkley School was brought to the attention of the women of the Auxiliary, by the President in response to a request by the Dean of the Cathedral, and as in answer to a prayer, a young woman of All Saints' offered herself as a candidate and was accepted to the Berkley School of Deaconess Training.

Mrs. Fred Reeves of Wenatchee who has charge of the Corporate Gift, from the District of Spokane, sent in a report to the effect that \$60.00 had been raised.

Reports from the Vice-Presidents were as follows:

Mrs. C. A. Harrison (by Mrs. L. L. Newhall)—Yakima Deanery

Mrs. George Brooke—Spokane and Colville Deaneries

Mrs. Calvin Casteel (by Mrs. J. P. L. Greene)—Wenatchee Deanery

Mrs. C. Craver (for Mrs. F. C. Basset)—Snake River Deanery.

The President told of a letter received from Miss Lindley in which she emphasized the fact that the women subscribe for the Spirit of Missions.

Following these reports, Bishop Remington of Eastern Oregon gave a splendid talk to the Women of the Auxiliary. He told them how vital it was to pray, work, study, and give, for the Five Fields of Work, and deplored the fact that so many sought leadership and so few wanted work. He showed how work developed the true Fellowship.

Bishop Remington then offered the noon-day prayer for Missions.

Miss Nettie Galbraith, Principal of St. Paul's School for Girls at Walla Walla, responded to a request from the President to address the meeting. She gave most interesting information about the school.

The president appointed the following committees:

Nominating: Mrs. C. K. Merriam, Mrs. H. C. G. Fry, All Saints'; Mrs. W. Johnson, St. John's; Mrs. P. R. Dunbar, St. James'; Mrs. E. E. Hughes, St. Peters; Mrs. H. G. Gurr, Holy Trinity; Mrs. C. Craver, Walla Walla.

Resolutions: Mrs. L. L. Newhall, Yakima; Mrs. Martin Miller, Omak; Mrs. E. L. Rolls, Ellensburg; Mrs. Charles Pearson, Starbuck; Mrs. Collard, Palouse.

There were about 160 people present in the meeting, at this time.

Meeting adjourned for luncheon which was served in the Parish house by the Spokane Branches.

The afternoon session opened at 2:00 o'clock with a Memorial Service for women who had passed away since the last Annual Meeting. This service was led by Mrs. F. J. Mynard. Mrs. Frank Rose, All Saints', and Mrs. S. Carr, St. Thomas, were remembered.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The President spoke briefly on the per capita dues, the necessity of prompt reports and the splendid work being done by the different Auxiliaries. Fifteen Corporate Communion, twenty-one Discussion Classes, seventy-four Program Meetings, and eight delegates to Summer School Conference were reported. This year's Alaskan Box will be valued at \$175.00.

The president appointed the following delegates to the Synod at Seattle—Mrs. J. B. Pennell, Kennewick; Mrs. A. L. Bramhall, Wenatchee; Mrs. F. B. Grinnell, All Saints'; Mrs. W. J. Postel, St. James; Mrs. Frank Atkinson, All Saints'.

Mrs. Remington at the President's request told of the work being done by the Auxiliaries in their District.

The Committee on Resolutions then made the following report: "Whereas, The delegates of the thirty-fifth annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the District of Spokane, desire to show their appreciation of the work that is being done in the District, therefore,

Be it resolved, that we pledge anew our loyalty to the work of the Church and our determination to do our utmost, for the cause of Christ as set forth by the Bishop's Crusade, and

Be it further resolved, that we express to Bishop and Mrs. Remington, our appreciation of their inspiring messages in connection with the Crusade and the work of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Resolved also, That a vote of thanks be given Bishop and Mrs. Cross, for their leadership and wonderful inspiration during the past year, and, that we express to our District Officers, our hearty appreciation of their services during the past year, and pledge our united effort to the furtherance of the Missionary Cause.

Whereas, The Church has committed herself to International Unity as a part of her program, therefore

Be it resolved, That we urge upon all womens' organizations in the District, their responsibility in bringing about such a condition and suggest daily prayer and the study of Miss Bayer's book during the season following Easter, as a means to this end.

Whereas, Dean and Mrs. Hennessy and

The Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Warren are leaving the District to work in other fields.

Be it resolved, That we express our heartfelt thanks for their co-operation with the Woman's Auxiliary, and our desire for their future success.

Be it resolved further, That we extend to Miss Galbraith congratulations on the success of St. Paul's School and pledge our best efforts to assist her by trying to arouse a deeper interest in the work she is doing.

Also, we wish to thank the women of Spokane for the splendid hospitality extended during our stay and to the newspapers for the publicity given our meeting."

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. L. L. NEWHALL  
MRS. MARTIN MILLER  
MRS. E. L. ROLLS  
MRS. CHARLES PEARSON  
MRS. COLLARD

It was moved and seconded that the resolutions be adopted and placed on file. Carried.

The report of the Nominating Committee was read, and the following resolution was offered. "That the Secretary cast the ballot for the unanimous reelection of the retiring officers of the Woman's Auxiliary of the District of Spokane.

Mrs. Frank Atkinson .....President  
Mrs. James A. Palmer .....Vice-President  
Mrs. J. P. L. Greene ....Corresponding Sec'y.  
Mrs. H. C. Godfrey Fry .....Recording Sec'y.  
Mrs. J. K. MacCornack ..... Treasurer  
VICE PRESIDENTS—

Mrs. C. A. Harrison .....Yakima Deanery  
Mrs. F. C. Bissett ....Snake River Deanery  
Mrs. Calvin Casteel .....Wenatchee Deanery  
Mrs. George Brooke .....Spokane Deanery

Respectfully submitted,

MIRIAM F. MERRIAM  
ELEANOR W. STEVENS  
(for Mrs. Johnson)  
MABEL E. GURR  
HENRIETTA B. DUNBAR  
LUCILE B. HUGHES  
KATHRYN CRAVER  
JESSIE C. FRY

It was moved and seconded that the report of the nominating committee be accepted and the Secretary be instructed to cast the unanimous ballot for the reelection of the retiring District Officers. Carried.

The Reverend M. J. Stevens, who has served the longest in this District, was asked by the President to speak to the women of the Auxiliary.

An offering which amounted to \$30.00 was taken to apply on the United Thank Offering.

Motion made and seconded that the Woman's Auxiliary send flowers to Deaconess Corbett and Miss Gurr, who were injured in a sleighing accident. Carried.

Mrs. William Remington, who was appointed by Bishop Darst as Crusader to the women of this District, gave a most interesting and comprehensive talk on Co-operation. She spoke of her travels through their District, the problems and how they are met. Mrs. Remington gave many helpful, practical suggestions for co-operation in Church work. "Co-operation is not spelled, A-p-p-r-o-v-a-l, the proper spelling is W-O-R-K-W-I-T-H." She urged the women to remember the purpose of the Crusade and to take back to their parishes, some of the enthusiasm and steadfastness received.

The minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

Bishop Cross gave a short closing talk in which he emphasized the fact that we were grateful to God for the presence of Bishop and Mrs. Remington at the Convocation. He spoke of the splendid attendance, the good spirit shown and wished the women to take the Spirit of the Crusade away with them.

The meeting closed with prayer by Bishop Cross.

JESSIE C. FRY.

Corresponding Secretary.

#### YOUNG PEOPLE'S FEDERATION

The second annual Convocation meeting of delegates from the Spokane Federation of Episcopal Young People, was held January 23, 1927, in the St. James' Church, Spokane, at 3:30 p. m. The meeting opened with a brief devotional service, followed by an address from Miss Florence Breithaupt, president of the organization, summarizing the work carried out by the Executive Committee during 1926.

A roll call was taken with delegates from the following churches responding: (Spokane), All Saints'; St. James'; Holy Trinity; Epiphany; St. Peter's; St. John's; (other towns represented) Palouse; Ellensburg;

Colfax; Omak; Okanogan; Pasco; Cashmere; Yakima.

This was followed by reading of the minutes of the first meeting held at a Convocation in 1926. A committee consisting of William Kilby, St. James', chairman; Elizabeth Hunt, Holy Trinity; Ruth Salisbury, All Saints'; and William Luhman, Yakima, was appointed to nominate two candidates for each of the district offices to be voted on by the body of delegates as a whole. During the time the committee was in session, Bishop Remington, bishop of Eastern Oregon, addressed the delegates. At the conclusion of his remarks, the nominating committee reported these nominations: President, Florence Slemmons and Gordon Flenner; Vice-President, Warren Slemmons and Mary Greenup; Secretary, Frances McCormick and Ralph Edgerton; Treasurer, Mildred Thompson and William Luhman; Executives, Daisy Stevens, John Blanchard, Eric McDavis, Elizabeth Gilbert, Winifred Ramsey, and Nellie Kent.

In the election which followed, Miss Florence Breithaupt, Spokane, was re-elected president, Warren Slemmons of Ellensburg was elected vice-president, Ralph Edgerton of Spokane was re-elected secretary, Miss Mildred Thompson of Colfax was elected treasurer, Elizabeth Gilbert of Spokane was re-elected an executive, and Eric McDavis, Spokane, and Miss Winifred Ramsey, Colfax, were elected executives.

The new officers were introduced and the meeting adjourned.

In addition to the above, a luncheon was held at the Davenport Hotel in the Maudarin room, Monday, January 24th. Bishop Remington and Mr. Walter McPherson both spoke. A discussion was afterwards held in regard to work of the various organizations in the district.



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